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Former Tuskegee Airmen commander, noted psychologist to speak

DR. ROSCOE BROWN JR., former commander of the Tuskegee Airmen in World War II, and Dr. Mortimer Mishkin, associate director for basic research at the National Institutes of Health in Bethesda, Md., will be on campus this month as part of the visiting Green Honors Professors program.

Dr. Brown will be on campus Feb. 26-March 1 as a guest of the Provost's Office. He will speak to several classes. He also will address TCU students, faculty and staff as well as 75 Boys and Girls Club members at a lecture Feb. 27 at 6 p.m. in the Student Center ballroom. His speech, "The Importance of Education and Reaching Goals," will be followed by a showing of the HBO movie, "The Tuskegee Airmen." The event is presented in conjunction with TCU's Black History Month.

Dr. Brown is now director of the Center for Urban Education Policy at The Graduate School and University Center of The City University of New York. He formerly was president of Bronx Community College of The City University of New York and director of the Institute of Afro-American Affairs at New York University. He has more than 60 articles and several publications to his credit.

(see *Green Chairs* on back)

TCU/TCJC to sign articulation agreement

TCU'S HONORS PROGRAM and Tarrant County Junior College's Cornerstone Program will join forces Feb. 15 when representatives from both universities sign an agreement that will expedite the transfer of TCJC honors graduates into TCU's honors program.

"The whole agreement is about easing the process and setting up a structure whereby this can happen," said TCU Honors Program Director Kathyne McDorman. It may lead to similar agreements with other junior colleges, she added.

The agreement is the first of its kind for TCU's honors program, Kathyne said. TCJC has a similar agreement with the University of North Texas.

Both programs will be enriched, Kathyne believes. TCJC students who complete Cornerstone requirements will be able to transfer those courses to TCU without loss of credit or recognition for approved courses

EVENTS

Now-March 15

"The American Cowboy" exhibit featuring a pictorial review of the Wild West, Mary Coats Burnett Library lobby.

Now- Feb. 23

Exhibition of Hungarian artist-in-residence Antal Turcsányi's artwork, featuring oil paintings, drawings and sketches, Moudy Building exhibition hall. Turcsányi will conduct workshops for students and the public Feb. 12-16. ****

Feb. 12-13

Yearbook photography for faculty and staff, 9 a.m.-2 p.m., Student Center lounge.

Feb. 13

TCU Frog Club luncheon featuring Coach Billy Tubbs, noon, Colonial Country Club. Lunch is \$14 and reservations are required. Call Ext. 7700.

Human Resources brown bag, "Maximize Your Tuition Benefit," noon. ***

Black History Month event: Tarrant County Commissioner Dionne Bagsby will discuss the status of the black community, 6 p.m., Moudy Building, Room 141N.

Feb. 14

WordPerfect 6.0 training, 8 a.m.-noon. ***

Human Resources presents Larry Lauer in "Put Your Best Frog Leg Forward," 1:30-3:30 p.m. Larry will discuss how to be a great representative of TCU. ***

Tandy RetroFest '96 Event: Faculty member Mark Thistlethwaite will lecture on "The Nature of Abstraction," 3-4:15 p.m., Amon Carter Museum auditorium. Call 738-1933, Ext. 235, for reservations.

Free Valentine's Day Event: Guest recital featuring renowned pianist Aldo Mancinelli playing romantic works by Schumann, Chopin and Liszt, 7:30 p.m., Ed Landreth Auditorium. *

Men's Basketball — TCU vs. Houston, 7 p.m., Daniel-Meyer Coliseum. **

within the TCU honors program. Cornerstone students who plan to enter TCU's program also may be eligible for additional scholarship resources.

About 370 students are currently enrolled in TCU's honors program. Many of those students drop out of the program after their sophomore year because their majors are so demanding or for other reasons, Kathyne said. "Of the 150-170 who enter each year, about 40 graduate. We want to increase the number who graduate. We think the TCJC students will bring an infusion of enthusiasm and commitment to the program."

Administrators, faculty and honors students from both institutions will attend the signing, which is scheduled for 2 p.m. in the Faculty Center. A reception will follow. ◆

Feb. 15

Women's Rifle Team event — TCU vs. Centenary College, 5-8 p.m., rifle range (behind Pete Wright Hall).

Feb. 16

WordPerfect 6.0 training, 8 a.m.-noon. ***

Programming Council Special Event: Super Frog's birthday party, 1-5:30 p.m., Frog Fountain. Birthday cake will be served at 3 p.m. and Super Frog will be in attendance from 2 to 4 p.m. Comedian Heath Hyche will perform at 4:30 p.m. For more information, call Heather Jones at Ext. 7926.

Feb. 17

Women's Rifle Team event — TCU vs. A&M, 8 a.m.-10 p.m., rifle range (behind Pete Wright Hall).

MBA Open House featuring Gordon England, former corporate vice president and president of Lockheed - Fort Worth, 10 a.m.-noon, Charles Tandy American Enterprise Center. Open to anyone interested in the MBA program.

Horned Frog Baseball — TCU vs. Louisiana Tech, 1 p.m., TCU baseball field. **

Women's Basketball — TCU vs. Baylor, 5 p.m., Daniel-Meyer Coliseum. On Prime TV. **

Black History Month event: "Panther," a film that takes a look at the civil rights movement and the Black Panthers, 9 p.m., Student Center ballroom. Free and open to all.

Feb. 18

Horned Frog Baseball — TCU vs. Louisiana Tech, 2 p.m., TCU baseball field. **

Feb. 19

TCU Chamber Orchestra concert, 7:30 p.m., Ed Landreth Auditorium. *

*Call the music department at Ext. 7602 for more information.

**Call the ticket office at Ext. 7967 for more information.

***Call Human Resources at Ext. 7790 for more information.

****Call art and art history at Ext. 7643 for more information.

Chancellor to address Leadership Institute

CHANCELLOR BILL TUCKER will be the keynote speaker when TCU hosts a Nonprofit Leadership Institute March 6 from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the Student Center. The institute will feature Bob Bolen, former Fort Worth mayor and senior advisor to the chancellor, as moderator. The event is sponsored by the Executive Service Corps of Tarrant County.

A series of workshops will offer ideas and approaches for improving accountability and achieving success in the nonprofit sector.

The early registration fee is \$25; registration after Feb. 16 is \$35. Continental breakfast, beverages and lunch are included in the fee. For more information, contact the Executive Service Corps at 924-5393 or extended education at Ext. 7130. ◆

(Green Chairs from front)

Dr. Mishkin will be on campus Feb. 23-24 and will address the seventh annual TCU Psi Chi student convention as a guest of the department of psychology.

A reception for Dr. Mishkin will be held Feb. 23 at 7 p.m. in the Faculty Center. The all-day convention will begin at 8 a.m. on Feb. 24 in the Student Center. For more information, call Ext. 7410.

A graduate of McGill University, Dr. Mishkin is a world-renowned physiological psychologist and neuroscientist. His career spans 45 years in which he has conducted research in the field of functional neuroscience. His research is considered the cornerstone for cognitive neuroscience.

The visiting Green Honors Professors program stems from a 1969 gift from Dr. Cecil H. Green of Dallas and his wife, the late Dr. Ida Green. Since the original endowment was established, an impressive array of scholars from around the world have come to TCU for seminars, public presentations and interaction with students and faculty members. ♦

Pension fund rep available for conferences

ART HANNA, a representative with the Pension Fund of the Christian Church, will be on campus for personal conferences with faculty and staff on Feb. 22 from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. in the Student Center, Room 218. Art will answer questions about the pension fund, taxes, social security and retirement. All interested employees may schedule an appointment by calling human resources at Ext. 7792. ♦

Well-known pianist to perform free Valentine's Day concert

INTERNATIONALLY ACCLAIMED PIANIST Aldo Mancinelli will perform several romantic songs in celebration of Valentine's Day Feb. 14 at 7:30 p.m. in Ed Landreth Auditorium. The concert is free and open to the public.

Some of the selections for the concert will be Chopin's "Sonata in B Flat Minor, Opus 35" and Liszt's "Ballade in B Minor."

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Mancinelli, artist-in-residence at Millikin University in Decatur, Ill., was the first American to win the Ferruccio Busoni International Piano Competition. He made his New York debut as a soloist with the National Orchestral Association in Carnegie Hall and has appeared as guest soloist with major symphony orchestras in the United States and Europe. ♦

TCU community invited to free bowling party

TCU EMPLOYEES, FAMILIES AND FRIENDS are invited to a free bowling party at 6 p.m. on Feb. 18 at Cowtown Bowling Center, 4333 River Oaks Blvd.

The event will lay the groundwork for forming a bowling league for the TCU community. It also will provide a chance to meet new TCU friends and brush up on bowling skills. Refreshments will be provided.

For more information, contact Candido Aranda at Ext. 7957 or 624-0615. ♦

Faculty, staff continue 23-year tradition

SEVERAL FACULTY AND STAFF members donated to scholarships through this year's Faculty/Staff Christmas Card Scholarship Program, a 23-year tradition at TCU. Each year, faculty, staff and retirees contribute to various scholarships instead of sending Christmas cards to on-campus friends and colleagues.

This year's donors and the funds they contributed to include:

- General Staff Award Fund:** Sandra Tobias
- Pat Searse Scholarship Fund:** Lazelle and Robert Benefield
- Doug Newsom Scholarship Fund:** Betty Donovan Knox
- Faculty/Staff Christmas Card Scholarship Fund:** Doug Newsom, Shirley Baird, Anne and Robert Olsen, Karen and David Vanderwerken.

Cara Lea McCarty, a junior accounting major from Richardson, Texas, is the recipient of the 1995-96 Faculty/Staff Christmas Card Scholarship. Cara is a member of the Dean's List, the Golden Key National Honor Society and the Fellowship of Christian Athletes. She also is treasurer of Chi Omega sorority. Cara will graduate in 1997 and plans to attend law school. ♦

APPOINTMENTS

Janet Becan, administrative assistant I in financial aid since February 1990, has been promoted to the position of administrative program specialist.

Bryan Barrett is the new tennis professional at the Mary Potishman Lard Tennis Center. His prior experience includes serving as assistant tennis coach at Cornell University in Ithaca, N.Y., and opening a tennis facility in Tokyo, Japan.

Jennifer "Jenny" Cox has been hired by the alumni office as assistant director. Jenny is a 1993 TCU graduate and has been working for NationsBank in Austin for two years.

Daryl Hemphill joins the staff of facility

services as service assistant I. Daryl is currently employed in the environmental services department of Nolan High School.

Junmin Ji, who received his Ph.D. in chemistry from TCU last December, has joined the staff of the chemistry department as a research scientist.

Dennis Odom ('87) has joined the Mary Coats Burnett Library as head of bibliographic instruction and as an assistant reference librarian. Dennis received his M.L.S. from the University of North Texas and has been a reference librarian at East Texas State University.

Nancy Petruso has been promoted to director of research in University advancement. She has been a researcher with TCU for four years, coming from a position in Washington with the Office of Federal Programs in the American Association of State Colleges and Universities.

Mike Scott has been promoted to director of scholarships and financial aid. Mike was previously associate director of financial aid.

Bryan Steffey has joined the staff of the chemistry department as a postdoctoral fellow. Bryan has a Ph.D. in chemistry from Purdue University and was previously employed by National Renewable Energy Lab.

DEATHS

Sympathy is extended to Darryl Trimiew (Brite) in the death of his father, Oliver Lee Trimiew Sr., on Jan. 22. Services were held Jan. 27 in Newark, N.J.

CLASSIFIEDS

FOR SALE: Restored 22-foot '69 Avion travel trailer. Self-contained with air and towing package. New power jack, wheels, brakes, tires, auto regulator and 10-gallon water heater. Sofa, dinette, full bath, stereo/tape player. Excellent condition. \$4,700. Call 927-7588.

FOR RENT: Unfurnished two-bedroom/one-bath Crestwood home, 10 minutes north of TCU. Attached one-car garage, large 18-by-24 shop, central heat and air, recent interior renovation, nice neighborhood. \$550 per month plus utilities. \$400 deposit. Call Bob McQuaid at Ext. 7578 weekdays.

JOB OPPORTUNITIES

The Human Resources office lists the following vacancies as of Jan. 29. For more information on any of these positions, call Ext. 7790.

- Director/Center for Productive Communication — School of Business
- Administrative Assistant II — Facility Services
- Administrative Assistant I — Financial Aid
- Administrative Assistant I — Ranch Management
- Administrative Assistant I (1/2 time) — Spanish and Latin American Studies
- Office Assistant (1/2 time) — Counseling Center
- Postal Assistant II — Post Office
- Accompanist/Technique Classes — Ballet/Modern Dance
- Security Guard — Campus Police
- Plasterer — Physical Plant
- Service Assistant I (full-time) — Facility Services
- Service Assistant I (part-time) — Facility Services